USEPA Integrated Report guidance categories used in Louisiana's 2008 Integrated Report

IR Category (IRC)	IR Category Description
IRC 1	Specific Water body Impairment Combination (WIC) cited on a <i>previous</i> §303(d)
	list is now attaining all uses and standards. Also used for water bodies that are fully
	supporting all designated uses.
IRC 2	Water body is meeting some uses and standards but there is insufficient data to
	determine if uses and standards associated with the specific WIC cited are being
	attained.
IRC 3	There is insufficient data to determine if uses and standards associated with the
	specific WIC cited are being attained.
IRC 4a	WIC exists but a TMDL has been completed for the <i>specific WIC</i> cited.
IRC 4b	WIC exists but control measures other than a TMDL are expected to result in
	attainment of designated uses associated with the specific WIC cited.
IRC 4c	WIC exists but a pollutant (anthropogenic source) does not cause the <i>specific WIC</i>
	cited.
IRC 5	WIC exists for one or more uses, and a TMDL is required for the <i>specific WIC</i>
	cited. IRC 5 and its subcategories represents Louisiana's §303(d) list.
IRC 5RC (Revise	WIC exists for one or more uses, and a TMDL is required for the specific WIC
Criteria)	cited; however, LDEQ will investigate revising criteria due to the possibility that
	natural conditions may be the source of the water quality criteria impairments.